

# **OCACS Elements**

The Orange County Local Section wants to hear from you. If you would like more information about our section or how you or your company can contribute to our Section's efforts, please visit our website or contact us at OCACSChair@gmail.com.

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#### **OCACS and SCALACS Tour of Cabrillo Marine Aquarium**

We will be taking a tour of the <u>Cabrillo Marine Aquarium</u> on Friday, May 11 starting at 2PM but spaces are limited.

They are providing our group with a free 45-minute tour/talk focusing on chemistry of the ocean. After the tour the group will be free to explore the aquarium - there's a lot to see. Its main focus is on the Southern California marine environment.

Admission to the aquarium is free but they have a suggested donation of \$5.

After the 45 min tour and some exploration, if anyone is interested, Dr. Robert deGroot will take people out on a short walking trip to discuss the geology of the Palos Verdes Peninsula, collect some asphalt soaked sandstone from the ~15 million year old Monterey formation, and talk about the tectonic evolution of Southern California. The Monterey figures prominently in the oil history of the region.

If you would like to attend, please E-mail Dr. Sandra Thompson ASAP at <a href="https://ocacschair@gmail.com">OCACSChair@gmail.com</a>. The deadline is May 4.

Also, read more about Chemists Celebrate Earth Week below, if you are interested in marine chemistry.



#### **Chemists Celebrate Earth Day**

To kick off Chemists Celebrate Earth Week (CCEW), our local college students and chemists are doing hands on activities and demonstrations on April 13 and April 20 at Villa Park Elementary School.



Anyone available to assist or for more information, contact Sanda Sun, CCEW Coordinator, <a href="mailto:ssun@ivc.edu">ssun@ivc.edu</a>.



Don't miss our upcoming events and meetings and for more information, please visit our website.

**April 13:** Chemists Celebrate Earth Day Event

**April 20:** Chemists Celebrate Earth Day Event

**April 25:** College Awards Dinner, Concordia University, Irvine

Watch presentations from the <u>"Science of Sexual Harassment"</u> Symposium from the ACS National Meeting.

### **Get Involved & Support OCACS**

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meetings or science cafes, explore leadership opportunities, or advertise with our Section, please visit our <a href="website">website</a> or Email us at <a href="https://ocalSection@gmail.com">OCACSLocalSection@gmail.com</a> and <a href="https://ocalSection@gmail.com">OCACSChair@gmail.com</a>.

We would love to hear from you!

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